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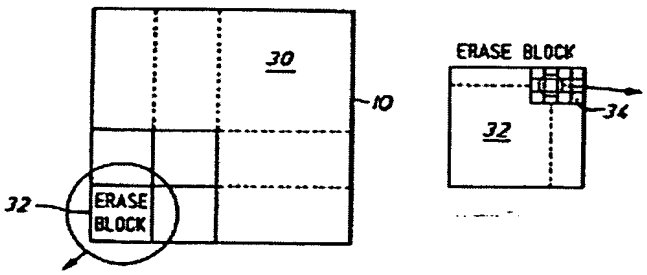
Abstract of **WO9712325**

A solid state memory for emulating a disk drive comprising: translation means for translating a logical sector address to a main memory address; a main memory composed of non-volatile memory cells erasable in blocks; characterised in that a first pointer is used to point to an unwritten location in main memory, and a second pointer is used to point to the next unerased erasable block in sequence to the erasable block containing the said unwritten memory location; control means being provided to ensure that there is always at least one erasable block in the erased condition between the first and second pointers.



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